UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 6, 2022 (January 3, 2022)

Warner Music Group Corp.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 001-32502 (Commission File Number)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 275-2000

13-4271875 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1633 Broadway, New York, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

10019 (Zip Code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the Registrant under any of the following provisions: Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) П Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) П Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c)) П Securities registered under Section 12(b) of the Act: Trading Name of Exchange on which Registered Title of each class Symbol WMG The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC Class A Common Stock Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.12b-2). Emerging growth company \square If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. $\ \Box$

Item 8.01 Other Events

On January 3, 2022, Warner Music Group Corp. (the "Company") entered into an underwriting agreement (the "Underwriting Agreement") with AI Entertainment Holdings LLC, LB Remainder Holdings LLC and CT/FT Holdings LLC, as selling stockholders (the "Selling Stockholders"), and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, as underwriter (the "Underwriter"), pursuant to which the Selling Stockholders agreed to sell to the Underwriter, and the Underwriter agreed to purchase from the Selling Stockholders, subject to and upon the terms and conditions set forth therein, an aggregate of 8,562,500 shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (the "Shares"), at a price of \$40.66 per share (the "Offering"). The Offering closed on January 6, 2022.

A copy of the opinion of Debevoise & Plimpton LLP as to the validity of the Shares is filed as Exhibit 5.1 hereto.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Evhibit

Number	<u>Description</u>
5.1	Opinion of Debevoise & Plimpton LLP.
23.1	Consent of Debevoise & Plimpton LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).
104	Cover Page to this Current Report on Form 8-K in Inline XBRL.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

WARNER MUSIC GROUP CORP.

By: /s/ Paul M. Robinson

Paul M. Robinson Executive Vice President, General Counsel

Date: January 6, 2022



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January 6, 2022

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Registration Statement on Form S-3 of Warner Music Group Corp. (Registration No. 333-258592)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as special New York counsel to Warner Music Group Corp., a Delaware corporation (the "<u>Company</u>"), in connection with the filing with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "<u>Commission</u>") under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "<u>Act</u>"), of a Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-258592) (the "<u>Registration Statement</u>"), including the prospectus therein, and a prospectus supplement thereto dated January 3, 2022 (the "<u>Prospectus Supplement</u>"), relating to the offer and sale of an aggregate of 8,562,500 shares of the Company's Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, by the selling stockholders (the "<u>Selling Stockholders</u>") referred to in the Prospectus Supplement (the "<u>Shares</u>"), pursuant to an underwriting agreement (the "<u>Underwriting Agreement</u>") dated as of January 3, 2022, among the Company, the Selling Stockholders and Morgan Stanley & Co. LLC, as underwriter (the "<u>Underwriter</u>").

In arriving at the opinion expressed below, we have (\underline{a}) examined and relied on the originals, or copies certified or otherwise identified to our satisfaction, of such agreements, corporate or other organizational documents and records of the Company and such certificates of public officials, officers and representatives of the Company and other persons as we have deemed appropriate for the purposes of such opinion, (\underline{b}) examined and relied as to factual matters upon, and have assumed the accuracy of, the statements made in the certificates of public officials, officers and representatives of the Company and others delivered to us and (\underline{c}) made such investigations of law as we have deemed appropriate as a basis for such opinion.

In rendering the opinion expressed below, we have assumed, with your permission, without independent investigation or inquiry, (\underline{i}) the authenticity and completeness of all documents that we examined, ($\underline{i}\underline{i}$) the genuineness of all signatures on all documents that we examined, ($\underline{i}\underline{i}$) the conformity to authentic originals and completeness of documents examined by us that are certified, conformed, reproduction, photostatic or other copies and ($\underline{i}\underline{v}$) the legal capacity of all natural persons executing documents.

Based upon and subject to the foregoing and the assumptions, qualifications and limitations hereinafter set forth, we are of the opinion that the Shares sold to the Underwriter by the Selling Stockholders pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement have been duly authorized and are validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable under the laws of the State of Delaware.

We hereby consent to the filing of this opinion as an exhibit to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by the Company with the Commission on the date hereof, incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement, and to the reference to our firm under the caption "Legal Matters" in the Prospectus Supplement. In giving such consent, we do not concede that we are within the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Act or the rules and regulations of the Commission thereunder.

We are members of the bar of the State of New York. We express no opinion as to the laws of any jurisdiction other than the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as currently in effect.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Debevoise & Plimpton LLP